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Wilson Listed As Creditor In Texas Case

HOUSTON, Oct. 2 (UPI) — Assistant U.S. Attorney General Will Wilson was listed Friday as a $11,936.19 creditor of Sharpstown Realty Co., one of the bankrupt properties of Texas stock fraud figure Frank W. Sharp.

Wilson, chief of the Justice Department's Criminal Division, was an attorney for Sharp and some of his enterprises after he served as Texas attorney general in the early 1960s.

The realty company listed debts of almost $28 million in U.S. Bankruptcy Court on Friday. The firm was part of the Sharp financial empire that crumbled last January when the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission broke the stock fraud scandal.

Wilson has said there was nothing improper about his dealings with Sharp, including his making of an unsecured loan from the Sharpstown State Bank after being named an assistant U.S. attorney.